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## MANY MUSICIANS OF FAME TAKE PART.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27—The Great Teachers' National Association held a four days' convention at Northwestern University this week, beginning today. It is the thirty-first annual convention of the organization, and the present attendance will be the most successful as well as the largest in its history. In addition to the business sessions, the organization provides for a series of concerts and recitals in which many individuals of wide fame are to take part.

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The usual Christmas observances were held by Oriental Commandery, No. 9, Knights Templar, at 11:00 o'clock Christmas morning. There was quite a large attendance including several visiting Sir Knights.

General Wm. H. Jewell, of Orlando, Past Grand Commander of Florida, was present by invitation, and delivered an able address. Major A. B. Foster, Past Grand Commander of Ohio, also spoke briefly, as did Conrad Stubenford, Past Grand Commander James Carnell, of Florida, and G. B. Seaman, Eminent Commander of Oriental Commandery, and Past Grand Commander of the State of Wisconsin. Punch and wafers were served.

## COLORADO TEACHERS HAVE PREPARED GOOD PROGRAM

DENVER, Col., Dec. 27—The annual convention of the Colorado Teachers' association was opened today with a meeting of the executive council in the auditorium of the high school. The association proper will begin its sessions tomorrow and continue them until Friday. The program is one of the best ever prepared for a meeting of the association. Heading the list of speakers from outside the State are President John B. Finley, of the College of the City of New York, John B. Cook, of the Detroit Normal School, and Prof. Caldwell of the University of Nebraska.

## METHODIST CHURCH 125 YEARS OLD.

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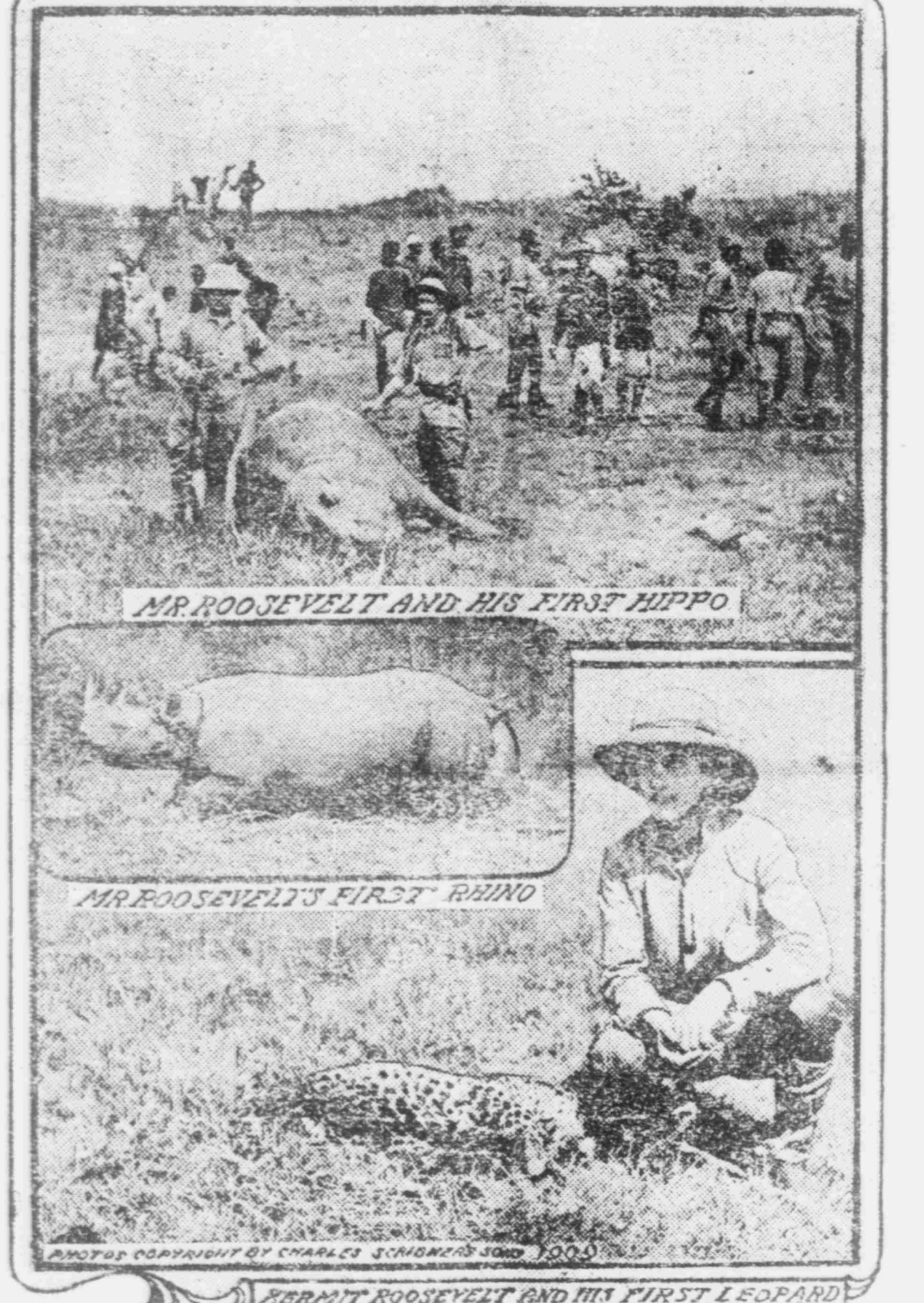
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BOSTON, Dec. 27—Scientists from all parts of the United States, and Canada, representing chemical, astronomical, mathematical, geological, biological, mechanical, electrical, physical, psychological and kindred sciences, are gathered at the Hotel Marlborough in this city for the annual meeting of the American Association of Scientists. The meeting is the largest of its kind in the world and is held annually in a different city. The program of the meeting is very extensive and includes a large number of papers and demonstrations. The meeting is expected to be a most successful one.

## MANY MUSICIANS OF FAME TAKE PART.

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 27—The Atlanta Symphony Orchestra, under the direction of Mr. Walter H. Page, is giving a series of concerts in the city. The program for the series is very attractive and includes many of the best pieces of modern music. The orchestra is made up of many of the best musicians in the South and is expected to give a most successful performance.

## KNIGHTS TEMPLAR HOLD IMPRESSIVE OBSERVANCES.

**SEVERAL DISTINGUISHED SIR KNIGHTS FROM VARIOUS PARTS OF THE COUNTRY WERE PRESENT.**

The usual Christmas observances were held by Oriental Commandery, No. 9, Knights Templar, at 1100: o'clock Christmas morning. There was quite a large attendance including several visiting Sir Knights.

General Wm. H. Jewell, of Orlando, Past Grand Commander of Florida, was present by invitation, and delivered an able address. Major A. B. Foster, Past Grand Commander of Ohio, also spoke briefly, as did Conrad Stubenford, Past Grand Commander James Carnell, of Florida, and G. B. Seaman, Eminent Commander of Oriental Commandery, and Past Grand Commander of the State of Wisconsin. Punch and wafers were served.

## COLORADO TEACHERS HAVE PREPARED GOOD PROGRAM

DENVER, Col., Dec. 27—The annual convention of the Colorado Teachers' association was opened today with a meeting of the executive council in the auditorium of the high school. The association proper will begin its sessions tomorrow and continue them until Friday. The program is one of the best ever prepared for a meeting of the association. Heading the list of speakers from outside the State are President John B. Finley, of the College of the City of New York, John B. Cook of the Detroit Normal School, and Prof. Caldwell of the University of Nebraska.

## METHODIST CHURCH 125 YEARS OLD.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 27—Old St. George church in this city, one of the most historic church edifices in America, is to be the scene of interesting exercises tonight in the celebration of the 125th anniversary of the founding of the Methodist Episcopal church in the United States. The Governors of Pennsylvania, New Jersey, and Delaware have been invited as special guests and the speakers are to include Bishops Foss, Wilson, Berry, and other noted speakers of the church.

## CALIFORNIA ASSOCIATIONS PLAN TO MERGE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27—San Francisco is entertaining for three days the annual meetings of four of the largest educational bodies of California. They are the Teachers' Association of Northern and Southern California, that of the San Joaquin Valley and the California Teachers' Association. Before the meetings adjourn it is expected that arrangements will be perfected for merging all of the organizations into one body to be known as the California State Teachers' Association.

## DESPLAND HOTEL.

It is announced at the Despland Hotel, owned by E. O'Toole, City, A. H. Brown, Jacksonville, Fla.; Wm. H. Brown, Jacksonville, Fla.; Wm. H. Brown, Jacksonville, Fla.; Wm. H. Brown, Jacksonville, Fla.

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All nature here is very inviting to the tourist and pleasure-seeker. Here too is to be found the best fishing and hunting in the State of Florida.

The people are thrifty, the business men enterprising, and all unite in extending the welcome hand of hospitality to strangers. There are five church edifices for white people and an equal number for the colored population; the town has an excellent high school, a splendid public library, and up-to-date business houses.

There are any number of pretty homes for the permanent population, which numbers close to 2,000, and some very fine winter residences. There are good hotels and boarding houses where you can find accommodations to meet your requirements.

Adjoining New Smyrna is as fine a section of vegetable land as can be found anywhere. This land has been divided into small farms which can be bought at reasonable prices. Some of the finest celery grown in the State is raised on this land. All other vegetables grow in abundance, and here, too, is the home of the famous Indian River oranges.

New Smyrna has no bonded indebtedness and the tax levy is low. A point that no tourist should fail to visit is the ruins of the Old Spanish Mission which stand somber and alone about one and a quarter miles southwest of New Smyrna. A good road leads to the place and the trip can be easily made by an automobile.

Silent, in the great pine flats by the margin of the forest, is this place of pilgrimage for the pious; this rendezvous for the picnicer. The ruins are extensive, and while there is no authentic history of their origin, it is presumed that the Mission was built by the Franciscans in the days when the once powerful Kingdom of Spain first planted its flag upon what is now American soil. It was built of coquina, the roof being of the same material, cut into thin slabs and covered with cement plaster. Extensive gardens surrounded it, which were enclosed by a stone wall, portions of which still remain. Visitors usually come in parties merry and curious but the spell of the place soon falls upon them and they separate to sit alone, silent and meditative, under the arches or beside the ancient well.

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**ORMOND** is five miles north of Daytona, located on the western bank of the Halifax River. The location of the town permits of good drainage and perfect sanitation; the elevation is superb and ideal for winter homes. A wide bridge connects Ormond with Ormond Beach. Many fine residences are maintained on either side of the river, most of them embellished with sub-tropical flora and shrubbery, besides thrifty orange and other citrus fruit trees.

The town is very cosmopolitan, has an excellent graded school, several churches, a fine public library, up-to-date places of business and comfortable and convenient hotels and boarding houses.

Ormond has many of the Florida attractions—fine fruit, good fishing, excellent automobilism, safe boating, salubrious climate and pleasant walks and drives.

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Alaska on some near tomorrow is expected by an official of the United States geographical survey to have a half million increase in population.

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The tourist who travels to Glacier Bay, the capital of Juneau, and the picturesque Sitka must not suppose he has seen Alaska.

He could skirt another 5,000 miles of coast line to Cordova, Valdez and Seward, and then, writes a correspondent of the San Francisco Chronicle, if he would see Alaska his journey is only well begun.

For the gold fields of Fairbanks would be 400 miles to the north, and those of Nome would be as distant as New York is from Chicago.

It would be a still greater distance to the seal rookeries of the Pribilof islands and the great numbers of the north, with their herds of wild reindeer and their lonely Eskimo igloo while to reach the westernmost Aleutian island would require a journey half as long as that from New York to Seattle.

Should the tourist retrace his steps to Skagway, cross the White pass and follow the mighty Yukon for 1,000 miles to Bering sea his knowledge of Alaska, while much enlarged, would still be incomplete.

## A DREAM STORY.

The Jeweled Ring a Woman Saw Twice in Her Sleep.

In November, 1930, I awoke one morning fully impressed with the idea that I was receiving as a gift an unusually large gypsy ring set with a single sapphire with a brilliant on each side. The dream was a pleasant one to the female mind, and I soon fell asleep again, but only to awake with a still stronger impression that the jewel was actually in my hands. So curious were my sensations that on my maid entering my room at 8 o'clock I told her of the two dreams, most minutely describing the ring, and I also asked my husband to bear witness to the statement should anything follow to confirm the dream.

Two hours later the postman arrived, and so great were my excitement and astonishment at seeing a small, neatly done up packet (evidently a ring case) that I dared scarcely open it and decided to ask my maid to do so. Before breaking the seal I asked her to repeat the description of the ring that I had previously given her, and then the little packet was opened, and the joyful exclamation followed, "Why, my lady, here it is!" The ring was sent to me by a friend in memory of his wife, who had died some months before, but I had absolutely no idea that I should be the recipient of any souvenir of her, nor did I ever see her wearing the ring in question—London Spectator.

## Sleeping in Church.

"Charles," said old Mrs. Sprinkles to her husband, "I've dreamed of the way you go to sleep in church Sunday after Sunday that I don't know what to do. I can't hardly hold my head up and look the people in the face after the services. You are such a drowsy man on week days that I don't see why you show so much disrespect for sacred things on the Sabbath."

"There's no disrespect intended," answered Mr. Sprinkles. "I am like the little boy next door. All week he looks forward eagerly to the Sunday auto ride his uncle gives him. It is the crowning event of the week to him. Yet he goes to sleep invariably before he has ridden a mile, and he doesn't wake up until it is all over. Because Willie goes to sleep is no sign that the ride is not doing him any good, is it?"—Newark News.

## Emigrant Potatoes.

Irish potatoes, like Irishmen, do better abroad than they do at home, and just as the average Irishman when he gets to the colonies becomes a governor general, like Lord Macdonnell or Sir Garvan Duffy, so the average Irish seed potato planted in England knocks spots out of the average Scotch or English seed.—Irish Homestead.

## Ready, as a Rule.

"Woman," observed the epigrammatic boarder, "is a puzzle without an answer."

"Huh!" snorted old Grumpley. "I never saw a woman without one yet!"—Boston Transcript.

## Definition.

A has-been may be described as a man whose coat shines, but whose shoes don't.—Lippincott's.

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## Heart to Heart Talks.

By EDWIN A. NYE

### A HUMAN DERELICT.

An emaciated old man dropped dead on Canal street yesterday morning. There was no money on him, no identity cards, but he was a very old man. The body was taken to the morgue.—Chicago Daily News.

Just as the sun set on the sea of city and country, upon down, and a six mile run is the only route that rises to the surface of the murky waters to tell of the sinking of a human ship.

Life is a cruel, cruel game. There is no mercy in it, no pity, no sympathy of the heart. It is a game of chance, and the only way to win is to play it right. The only way to win is to play it right.

The recurring dream of the night. He lived perhaps as poor and as lonely as I. There was a happy childhood, and he knew it, and sorrow and pain and regret, prepared and failed, hoped and despaired, worked and saved, made and lost, until the day came when he was alone and friendless and weak and failing.

His soul was in ruins. And over all was the overwhelming sense of the grim pitilessness of the big city.

Were you ever a poor boy in a great city? Men hurry on intent upon their own. Piled tier upon tier in the great commercial palaces are the abundant masses of the swollen fortunes. Happy shoppers fill the great stores. Sated men and women roll luxuriously in costly carriages. While you—

Your head is dizzy as you peer over the verge of the bottomless pit!

Behind those plate glass windows are heaped huge pyramids of food while you faint with hunger. In the crushing sense of the world's cruelty you drink to the lees of life's plumbly troubles.

But to be there—and die!

Here is the alternative—to beg or steal. If you can forget your pride and beg, few will stop and listen. If you steal, they will put you in an iron cell. The law of trade is something only for something.

Sympathy? Charity? The city is too busy. It does not know. There are so many frauds and the city does not understand or try to understand.

And so, alas for Christian charity under the sun, the "Miserables" go gradually down, down, down, to that lowest plane of life whose outer verge is the most terrible crime.

What will become of them unless some tender human heart shall reach out and help, not only to save them from the streets, but to save them from the streets.

Let us reach our eyes and hearts to that some of these frail, deservingly human, look no more before our very eyes.

### Her Golden Locks.

Rather pathetic is the story of the young Swedish girl Agathe Sorenson, who, to pay a family debt and save her father's good name, sold her beautiful golden hair. Such a marvellously long braid it made that the hair-dresser who bought it showed it in the recent exhibition at Nancy, France. Agathe received \$90 for her hair. The dealer who paid her this disposed of the braid to a Parisian colporteur for \$200. The woman who now wears it on her head paid \$250 for it.

### Needed a Reminder.

"A very pretty young woman was taking tea with me," said a woman writer, "and I noticed a knot in her handkerchief."

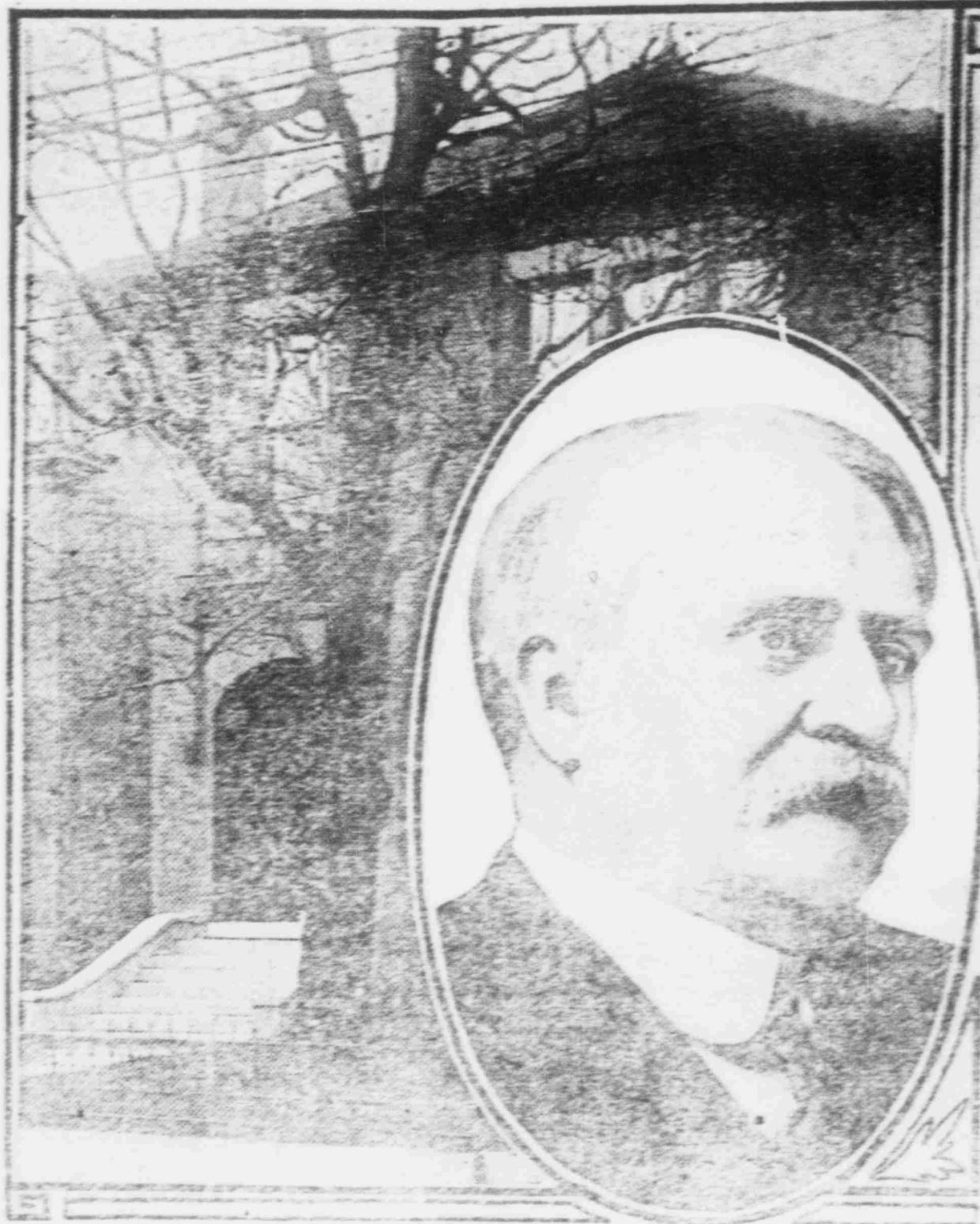
"Hello," said I. "What's the knot in your handkerchief for?"

"My husband's gone to the country," said the young woman, "and the knot is to remind me that he told me to think of him in his absence."

### Hogge's Horse.

Hogge's Horse, at Buxton, Sussex, England, in the center of the old iron district, was formerly the residence of Ralph Hogge, an ironmaster. He is celebrated as having been the first to cast a cannon in one piece. This occurred in 1543.

## JUSTICE LURTON OF SUPREME COURT AND HIS HOME IN NASHVILLE.



Justice Horace H. Lurton, recently appointed to the United States supreme court, is a native of Nashville, Tennessee, and a personal friend of President Taft. When Justice Lurton was appointed to the United States circuit court of appeals he became the first of Mr. Taft's appointees. The latter was born in Nashville, Ky., in 1844 and was graduated from Cumberland university in 1867. He was a member of the supreme court of Tennessee for seven years and at one time was chief justice. His home is in Nashville.

## THE MOTHER OF THE TEDDY BEARS.

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ONCE upon a time—not so many years ago either—there sat in the doorway of a small cottage in Germany a poor woman with smiling eyes and a kind heart and an invalid body. The door of the little village and hamlet and sat in groups around her, listening to stories, tales, and of their childhood adventures, and they listened for all the world as if they were sitting in the doorway of a small cottage in Germany.

Long ago, in the days of the great wars, the mother of the teddy bears was a poor woman with smiling eyes and a kind heart and an invalid body. The door of the little village and hamlet and sat in groups around her, listening to stories, tales, and of their childhood adventures, and they listened for all the world as if they were sitting in the doorway of a small cottage in Germany.

And it was then that the mother of the teddy bears was a poor woman with smiling eyes and a kind heart and an invalid body. The door of the little village and hamlet and sat in groups around her, listening to stories, tales, and of their childhood adventures, and they listened for all the world as if they were sitting in the doorway of a small cottage in Germany.

Always the busy worker sat in her doorway, where she could see the road and the people, the green grass, the yellow flowers. Perhaps it was the strength, the grace and the beauty of these that wrought themselves into her simple work.

Then it came about—and no one was more surprised than this child living in a small cottage—that she found herself making hundreds and hundreds of the little bears, the teddy bears, the bears that were so much loved by the children of the world, the bears that were so much loved by the children of the world.

And who do you think was this young woman in faraway Germany? I can only tell you this: She is known now far and wide as the "mother of the teddy bears."

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| Florida Peaches   | 20c                       |
| Shelled Almonds   | 60c                       |
| Seeded Raisins  | 1 lb 10c, 2 lbs 20c       |
| Cornuts   | 10 cts., 2 lbs 20c        |
| Pears, evaporated   | 15c                       |
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 Pears, evaporated . . . . .25c  
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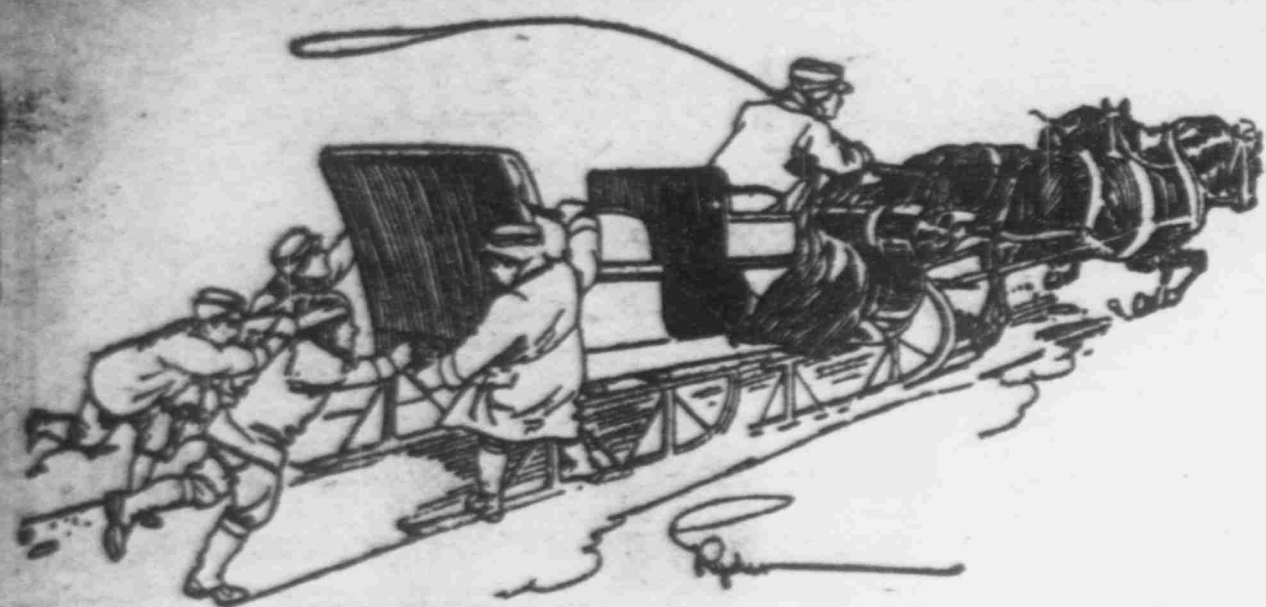
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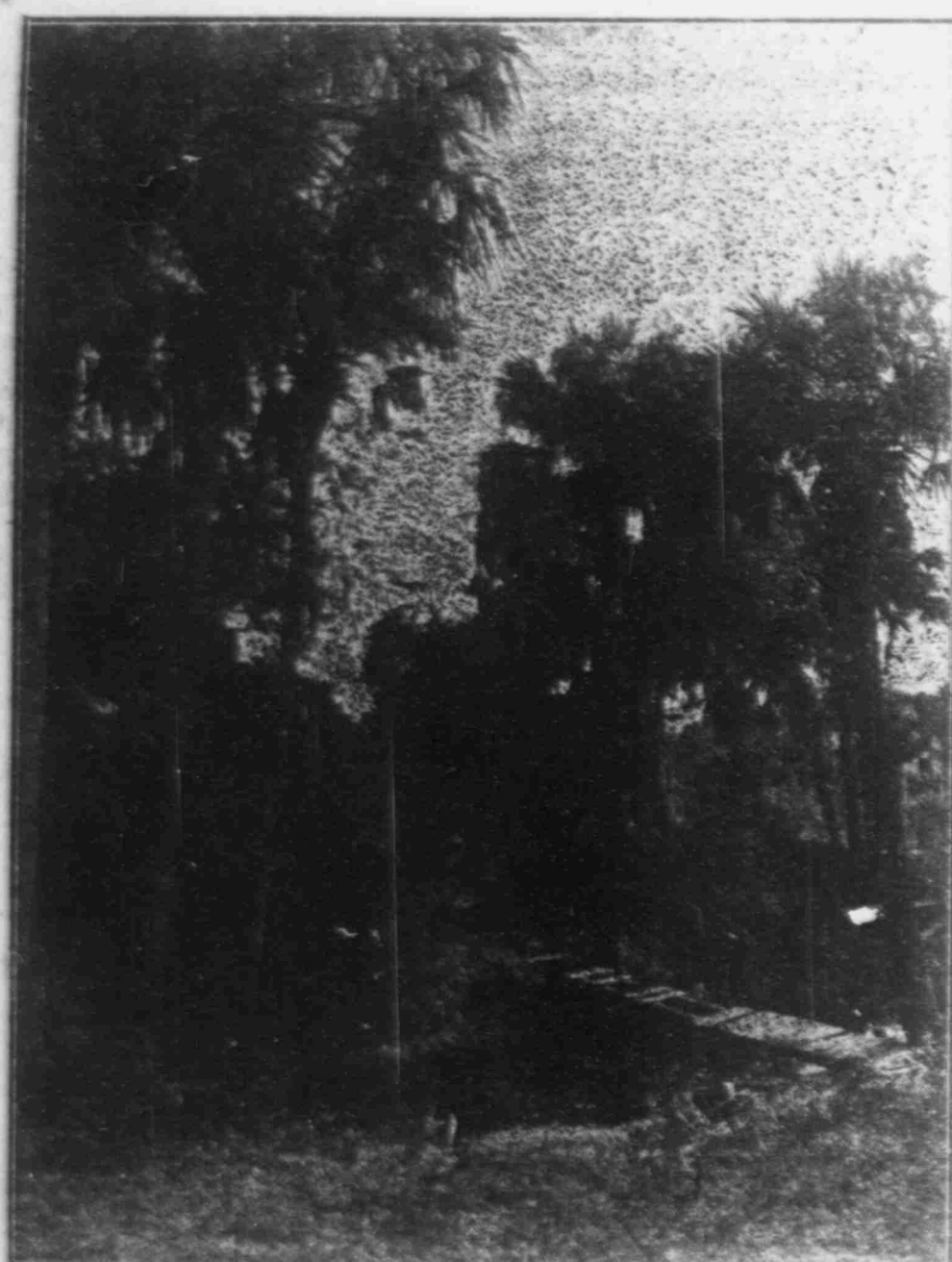
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Daytona Awaits You.

## Beth

## A Christmas Story

By ANNA BENTLY.

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"Say, mother!" and Mollie tugged gently at a fold of her mother's dress to attract her attention. "Did you see that beau-ti-ful memorial window that the Staceys have had put into the church for their little girl who died last year?"

They were in the church porch as the child spoke, but her mother made no reply until they had walked some distance down the street, and then her words were few and hesitatingly spoken.

"Yes, I saw it."

"And," persisted Mollie, who was evidently a good deal exercised upon the subject, "the superintendent spoke of it in Sunday school and said that the window was placed there by the parents of our lost fellow pupil to be a constant reminder of her lovely life among us. She wasn't good a bit."

Still Mrs. Mason made no comment. Mollie made a wry face, which her mother was too wise to see, and as the two walked slowly homeward Mrs. Mason tried to divert the little girl's mind from the subject of her dead mate's imperfections by describing for her benefit another "memorial" that she had seen in a visit to the City hospital a few days before. This was a "free bed," contributed by the bereaved parents of another little lost one, and Mollie listened with glistening eyes to the story of the little street boy who had been run over by a heavy dray and had both legs broken.

"And there he lay," she said, her own kind eyes full of tender tears, "his little white, pinched face bright with a contented smile and his feeble hands toying with a few rose geranium leaves that some kind visitor had dropped on the coverlid for him, so cheerful and happy that I wondered at him. I asked him if he was comfortable, and you should have seen his pale face light up and heard him pipe in his thin, shrill voice:

"Comfortable is it, ma'am? Why, it's jist blyin' itself afther the dirt an' the cold an' the boonger an' the batin's. Faith, an' it's well paid I am for the loss o' me two spindly legs."

"And he laughed aloud, such a merry little cackle that I really forgot for the moment that he was a helpless, bedridden cripple for life and only thought of him as a petted child, lying in state in a soft, white, clean bed, tended and cared for as tenderly as if he had been the heir to a dukedom."

"What a beautiful memorial!" cried Mollie, with childish delight.

Her mother nodded approvingly. "Yes, it was a beautiful thought, and the fund that supports that bed is called by the dead child's name, the 'Ida Lewis fund,' so that every sick and suffering one who is comforted and nursed back to health in that bed will bless the name of the giver, whom they can never thank on earth."

Mollie was silent for a little time, and then she said softly, while a great tear rolled down her cheek and dropped unheeded upon the soft fur of her tippet, "How I wish we could have a 'memorial' like that for our little Beth!"

The mother's lip quivered, and for a moment she could not control her voice to reply to the child's suggestion. Little Beth had gone to heaven only a few short months ago, and the wound in her mother's breast was yet too sensitive to bear without shrinking the tenderest touch, but with an effort she kept back her tears and replied:

"It costs a great deal of money for memorials of that kind, and only wealthy people or those with a large income can afford these noble and beautiful charities. Some of the grandest churches, hospitals and asylums in the world have been founded and endowed to keep alive the memory of those who were dear to the great or rich ones of earth."

Mollie sighed. "All the same, I do wish we could have some kind of a 'memorial' for Beth. She was such a dear, sweet little thing," she half-whispered as they paused a moment upon the steps of their modest but comfortable home, and, futile as seemed the wish, her mother's heart could not but reach it.

That night after the young folks were all in bed and silence had fallen upon the merry, noisy household Mrs. Mason sat with unwontedly idle hands watching the fast decaying brands in the fireplace and thinking of the dear little life that only a few months before had passed away from among them. How she yearned for the touch of those baby fingers, now still and silent in this world forever!

She would not have had the lives of her other children saddened for always by this bereavement that must necessarily mean so much more to her than to them, and yet they were all planning gayly and eagerly for the fast approaching Christmas, carefully counting up their hoarded pennies and full of all sorts of pleasant little mysteries and merry deceptions, without a thought apparently of the little sister who had in her baby fashion only one short year ago joined so gleefully in their preparations for the coming festival.

It was natural that they should do

so, as she told herself, and yet how could she bear to have her darling forgotten in the household of which she had been the sunshine, to have her sons and daughters in future years say:

"There are five of us," without a word or thought of the little sister gone before? Then Mollie's words came back to her with another and tenderer significance: "I do wish we could have some kind of a 'memorial' for little Beth!"

A "memorial," not for the eyes of the world, but one that would keep alive in the hearts of her children the memory of that dear lost one. It might not be an impossibility, after all, and the plan, once started in her mind, went on unfolding, and as the last spark died out in its bed of somber gray ashes and the clock counted out, loud and clear in the stillness, the twelve strokes of midnight she rose to her feet with moist eyes, but a hopeful smile upon her lips.

"In that way they will be sure to remember her," she murmured to herself, "and the little charities given in her name will be twice blessed."

It had always been a custom in the Mason family for the children to hang up their stockings the night before Christmas—a custom that, as Mrs. Mason declared, owed its popularity to the one extravagance in that economically ordered household—an open fire in the family sitting room. When Christmas eve came there was brought forth for the occasion the usual array of stockings of various sizes and hues, from Mollie's, of conventional black lisle thread, down to little Ben's, of coarser, home knit gray, and there was a great deal of chatter and fuss and good natured rivalry over a choice of places and the finding of pins large and strong enough to sustain the expected burden.

"I'm going to put mine out here at the very end," proclaimed Ben, with a flourish of the article in question and a desperate dive for the biggest pin in the cushion, but his mother laid her hand gently upon his shoulder with the softly spoken reminder:

"Not there, dear. That's where little Beth's stocking always hung, you know."

The merry babel of voices suddenly ceased, and the children turned to look at their mother in a kind of awestruck wonder as, taking from her work-basket a pair of pretty scarlet stockings—baby's favorite pair—she carefully fastened them in the accustomed place with the low voiced explanation:

"We have no money to build grand memorial windows or to endow hospitals in the name of our lost darling, but we can keep her memory alive in our own hearts at least in a humbler way. Now I am going to hang up her stockings just as she did on her last Christmas on earth, and we will each contribute something out of our own stores that will make some poor children more comfortable and happy on this the world's great gift day."

Mollie slipped her hand into her mother's and laid her cheek tenderly against her mother's shoulder while she whispered, with a half-suppressed sob:

"Oh, mother, dear, that's a beautiful thought, and we'll all be so glad to give something toward dear little Beth's memorial stocking."

The morning saw this promise faithfully fulfilled, and it was wonderful when each one set his or her brains to work what a number of poor, neglected children were remembered and provided for out of little Beth's gift stocking.

Charlie found that with a new pair of skates he could spare his old ones for a poor little lad round the corner who never had so much as a top or ball that he could call his own. Kitty was glad to give a paint box almost as good as new to the crippled girl who always sat in her invalid's chair by the window and watched longingly the gay groups of children as they trooped past to school. Outgrown picture books, caps and boots, a pair of warm mittens and a knitted scarf for the ragged little fellow who shoveled snow for the neighborhood and several lace bags filled with candy and nuts contributed from the private store that each had found in his own stocking. It was wonderful how much and what a variety of things that pair of stockings held, for whatever was given in their name was supposed to have come from their diminutive depths.

Every one gave freely, and as the felt poorer for the lack of what went to comfort those who were lucky. In Mollie's pretty new portrait came a two dollar bill with a slip attached on which was written, "For the new gloves that Mollie thinks will make her perfectly happy."

The little lass laughed good naturedly at this merry reminder of her own words and for a few minutes was full of happiness over her mother's gift, but suddenly a thoughtful expression came over her bright face, and she went silently to her room. Half an hour later she came to her mother with a grave face and the question:

"Can I do as I please with the money you gave me?"

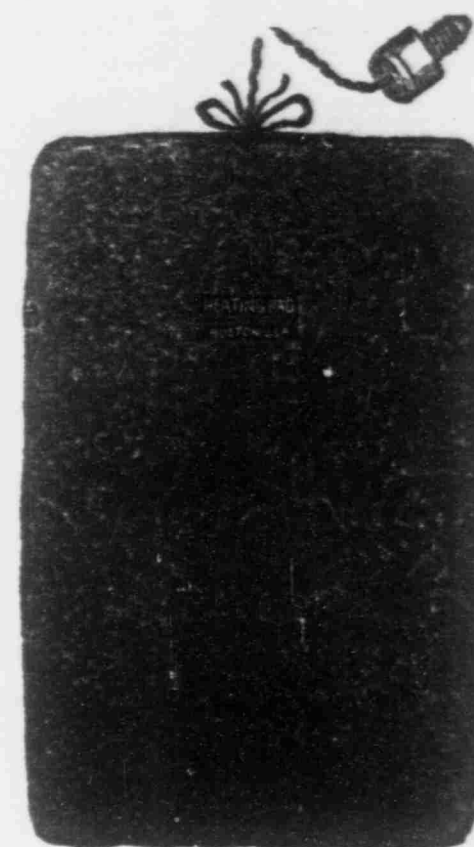
"Certainly," was the ready reply, and Mollie's grave face was lightened by a bright and sunny smile.

"I can buy a cheaper pair of gloves," she said confidentially, "and so save out enough to buy some grapes for the little sick boy in the hospital who was run over and whose legs were broken that you told me about."

As the mother gladly gave her consent to this generous plan a joy too deep for words filled her heart. Her determination was strengthened to make little Beth's memorial stocking a lasting institution in her household and thus to keep alive the name of the dear little lost sister in many a grateful heart for years after that loved form had returned to dust.

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## Amusements

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Seats on Sale at Hankins'  
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## "INDIAN RIVER" ORANGES

You are invited to visit my groves,  
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see the handsomest fruit and how it is  
handled. Your orders solicited.  
Special attention given to filling orders  
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MUNROE GROVES,  
George H. Munroe.

CRYSTAL  
THEATRE

MOTION PICTURES

## PROGRAM

Royal Outcast.

Broken Locket.

Wood's Orchestra will render:  
Waltzes from the "English  
Daisy"—Muller-Norden  
March "Daytona Beauties"—  
W. W. Woods.

The Little Howze Sisters.

Wednesday night a benefit under  
the auspices of the B. P. O. E.  
will be given to the Virginia Mill-  
man Co.

## ILLUSTRATED SONG

Good Music by Woods' Orchestra

Next week--Howze Sisters

No pictures shown by us unless they  
have been passed upon by the New  
York Police Censor Board.

LOW TIDES ON THE BEACH  
1:51 today; 2:36 tomorrow.

\*FURNISHED HOUSE on Halifax  
avenue, near Automobile Club House.  
for rent. Apply to Daily News. d-1

Eli Mustin and family, of Asheville,  
N. C., are visiting Mrs. Mustin's par-  
ents, Col. and Mrs. J. D. Robertson,  
on South Ridgewood avenue.

The merchants and shopkeepers  
generally, are telling of the best  
Christmas trade for many seasons and  
there is a satisfactory feeling of pros-  
perity, and still better days coming  
among them.

\*LOST—Gold watch, monogram M.  
L. Q.; green leather fob. Finder please  
leave at Daily News office. d-2

Rev. W. G. Fletcher arrived Tues-  
day from conference, and joined his  
wife at the home of her parents Mr.  
and Mrs. H. S. Miller, for Christmas  
holidays. He leaves next week for  
his field of work at Tallahassee.

Theo. Sengstak's many friends  
regret his indisposition which is  
confining him to the house and  
even to his bed.

The regular Sunday evening ser-  
vices will begin at the First Con-  
gregational Church next Sunday  
evening, 7:30, and continue through-  
out the season, as usual.

\*Young man—rapid calculation,  
expert penman and experienced in  
accounting line desires position in  
winter months. See or write F. W.  
Nelson. d-1

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Florman, of  
St. Augustine, spent Christmas with  
their daughter, Mrs. F. L. Middle-  
ton, and family at Holly Hill, re-  
turning to St. Augustine Sunday  
afternoon.

For Sale—Speed boat, 35 ft.  
long, 20 h. p. motor, Box 610.  
d-27-12

Mrs. A. M. Rhodes and daughter,  
Miss Margaret, arrived Saturday  
night and went temporarily to The  
Palmetto, preparatory to occupying  
their winter home on South Beach  
street.

\*ORANGES—\$1.00 per hun-  
dred delivered in the city. \$2.00  
per box delivered at depot. Oranges  
are not frosted—picked Sunday.  
W. G. WILLIAMS, City. 27-1

Beautiful and impressive Christ-  
mas services were held at the First  
Methodist and St. Mary's Episcopal  
Church Sunday morning. Large  
congregations enjoyed the special  
services which the church people  
have arranged for the winter season.

The Rev. A. M. Rhodes, of St. Au-  
gustine, who is expected to  
winter here, was seen at Daytona  
Beach a week ago. Mr. Rhodes, who  
is a cousin of Dr. J. H. Bishop,  
will be engaged in a series of  
lectures at the church at 111 George  
for the winter season.

C. Fred Price, associate editor of  
the Halifax Journal, is in the  
city visiting with friends for a few  
days. Mr. Price arrived Sunday  
night from Atlanta, Ga., and is on  
his way to Palm Beach, where he  
will be engaged in a series of  
lectures at the R. D. Davies Publishing  
Company.

How to Treat a Wife  
An ancient Egyptian proverb ap-  
plying to his son said: "It is not a  
wife try to make her happier than any  
of her women friends." She will be  
doubtfully bound to thee if the tie is  
sweet to her. Accord her what pleases her.  
She will appreciate the effort.

INSURANCE COMPANY DECLARES  
40 PER CENT. DIVIDEND.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27—Stockholders  
of the Niagara Fire Insurance Com-  
pany met today and approved the ac-  
tion of the directors in declaring a di-  
vidend of 40 per cent from the accu-  
mulated surplus. The dividend is to  
be paid through the issue of new  
stock.

At the time of the San Francisco  
fire the company reduced its capital  
from \$500,000 to \$250,000, and then is-  
sued \$500,000 new stock at 200 per  
cent. Today's action of the stock-  
holders increases the stock from \$750,  
000 to \$1,000,000. Par value is \$50,  
hence the increase calls for 5000 ad-  
ditional shares. The stockholders are  
offered the new stock at par at the  
rate of one new share for each three  
held. The \$200,000 returns to the  
stockholders the \$250,000 capital re-  
duction and also the 10 per cent di-  
vidend passed just after the San Fran-  
cisco fire.

BENEFIT AT THE CRYSTAL  
THEATRE WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

The event of the season is a mon-  
ster benefit at Crystal Theatre Wed-  
nesday night given by the Virginia  
Millman Company under the aus-  
pices of Daytona Lodge No. 1141,  
B. P. O. E. It is the Elks' Night  
and one of the finest vaudeville en-  
tertainments ever presented will be  
the programme.

The Virginia Millman Co. will  
produce the strong emotional or ex-  
amination scene from Mrs. Lane's  
Defense, the restaurant scene from  
the French comedy, L'Arlequin, Miss  
Millman will be seen in a beautiful  
Italian comedy, The Confession, and  
a comedy sketch, The Starboard  
Boy. W. C. Mason in character  
songs. The Little Howze Sisters.  
The latest moving pictures, Yuletide  
furnished by Woods' orchestra.

Performance starts at 8:00 p. m.  
Prices, 35 and 50c. Seats on sale at  
Young's Pharmacy. Secure your seats  
for this performance as it is to be  
Elks' Night at the Crystal Theatre.

His Memory.  
"Has he a good memory?"  
"No, just a common, ordinary, every-  
day memory. He remembers people  
who owe him money much better than  
those to whom he owes money."—De-  
troit Free Press.

If mere ideas are not truth they are  
at least the cloth of which it is made.  
—More.

"Yes," admitted the fair divorcee, "I  
married in haste."  
"And now?" remarked the sym-  
pathizing physician, "you are repenting at  
leisure, eh?"

"Not so you can quote it," answered  
the f. d. "I'm drawing \$300 a month  
alimony."—Chicago News.

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You Get  
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New Florida Honey, fresh  
Peas, Beets, Turnips, Car-  
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Radishes, Wax Beans,  
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bage, Egg Plant, Green  
Peppers, New Potatoes,  
Cucumbers 3 for 5c,  
Grape Fruit, Oranges,  
Apples, Cranberries.  
ALL FRESH and NICE.

What to Get  
for Him.....

Let us help you solve the problem of what to get  
him for any time. A nice Suit would please  
either father or son. Coat Sweater is nice,  
Slippers, Moccasins, Suit Case, Traveling Bag,  
Umbrella, Fancy Vest, Hosiery. Suspenders and  
Neckwear in Individual Boxes.

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Fine Coat Sweaters from \$10.00 down; Shoes,  
Slippers, Moccasins and Hosiery.

## FOSTER CO.

CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT  
AT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

The Christmas entertainment and  
exercises at the First Congregational  
Church Christmas evening was very  
well carried out by the children, and  
the Misses Hazel Stirling and Roberta  
Hobbs deserve much credit for the  
pretty program. Dr. Marsh, who is a  
great favorite with the children as  
well as their parents, explained the  
intent of Christmas observance in a  
way that impressed and pleased  
them, taking care not to encroach  
upon their time, as he said it was  
children's night.

After the exercises the children  
were invited into the Sunday School  
room to receive their presents from  
a handsomely decorated tree, the  
work of the committee on decora-  
tion. Mr. and Mrs. S. Findlay and  
Mrs. J. G. Brown. The church  
chancel was also very beautifully  
decorated, and the closing produc-  
tion, a musical recitation that  
grouped the children on the stage,  
was especially bright and effective.

One of the most gracious instances  
of Christmas giving that came to  
the attention of a Daily News re-  
porter were the Christmas gifts made  
up by Mrs. S. Findlay's Sunday  
school class for Wm. Van Dorn's  
motherless children. Friday after-  
noon, Mrs. Findlay and the class  
decorated a diminutive Christmas  
tree at her home on Palmetho ave-  
nue for her little neighbors, and  
Mr. Findlay was the beneficiary of  
Santa Claus who delivered it to the  
happy little ones.

The making of tin plates originated  
in Bohemia, hammered iron plates hav-  
ing been coated with tin in that coun-  
try some time before the year 1600.  
Tin plate making was introduced into  
England in 1665, the art being brought  
from Saxony. In France the first tin  
plate factory was established in 1719.  
The first commercial manufacture of  
tin plates in the United States was at  
Pittsburg in 1872.

A Fire Escape.  
"I thought," said the inspector, "you  
said this building was provided with a  
fire escape?"  
"It is. There's a room on the top  
floor that is used by a very devout lit-  
tle band of people as a church."—Chi-  
cago Record-Herald.



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The Cheapest Steaks and  
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Phone 114



## \*Christmas CIGARS at Vet Cave's.

Miss Gertrude B. Rowe, of Sanford,  
has accepted a position at the Still-  
man for the season.

Monte Smiley went to DeLand Sat-  
urday afternoon for a visit to two weeks or  
more at the county seat.

MAXWELL RUNABOUT—14 H. P.  
—for sale. Address P. O. Box 73,  
Seabreeze, Fla. d-1

Hon. John Washburn and wife ar-  
rived Friday night from Cincinnati,  
Ohio, and will spend the winter at  
Daytona.

\*Quick delivery on Gasoline. Phone 20

Mrs. M. S. Hart and sister, Mrs.  
Lena Thymie, went to New Smyrna  
Saturday afternoon for a week's visit  
at that place and environs.

\*\*FOR SALE—Two baby carriages at one  
each; stands for sale at half price;  
all in good condition. Address Daily  
News.

P. H. Neal arrived Saturday night  
for a few days' holiday visit with  
his brother, J. P. Neal, of this city.  
Mr. Neal is from Theresa.

Mrs. L. J. Crews and children, of  
Kingston, went to Bunnell, Saturday,  
to visit with Mrs. Crews' uncle, J. F.  
Lambert, at that place, over Sunday.

Mrs. F. A. Mann and daughter, Miss  
Nellie, were in the city from yester-  
day until today, when they returned  
to Seabrook. They were the guests  
of Mrs. Emma Edick, on Volusia ave-  
nue.

\*\*Furnished house; all modern con-  
veniences, on Beach street, for rent.  
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Insurance Co., or any agent. d-1